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MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Officer/DCI

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SUBJECT : Advisory Committees

1. In reference to the Director's memorandum of 14 February, subject "Advisory Committees" the Office of the DD/C does not, itself, have any activities under its direct jurisdiction which utilize advisory committees. There are, however, a number of advisory groups with industrial members participating which are drawn upon, directly or indirectly, by the various committees and subcommittees of the intelligence community which assist in the coordination of intelligence.

2. In most cases, such advisory groups are responsible to -- or work closely with -- one of the DD/I offices of CIA, although they sometimes meet directly with established inter-agency committees or working groups. It is therefore believed more appropriate that such groups be reported upon by the Deputy Director (Intelligence) than by the Deputy Director (Coordination).

3. For your information, advisory groups of this sort of which this office is aware include the following:

- a. The Webster Panel - which meets with JAEIC.
- b. The Hyland Panel - which met with OMIC on the Soviet ICBM Program.
- c. The Princeton Group - which meets with ONE on various National Estimates.
- d. The ORR Economic Consultants - who have made a number of recommendations about the EIC's activities.

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